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From: Ostrander, David
Sent: Tue 9/29/2015 8:34:56 PM
Subject: FW: Briefing to WQCC re Gold King

Fyi. This was yesterday.

From: Card, Joan
Sent: Monday, September 28, 2015 5:30 PM
To: Garcia, Bert
Cc: Ward, W. Robert; Logan, Paul; Ostrander, David
Subject: Re: Briefing to WQCC re Gold King

My sense is that we are not ready to present on most of these topics. We have the OSWER internal review, but not the DOI independent review, which will inform lessons learned, etc.

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Sent from my EPA iPhone

On Sep 28, 2015, at 5:27 PM, Garcia, Bert <Garcia.Bert@epa.gov> wrote:

Is this something we want to do?

I'm traveling this week but this specific request, and any similar requests as a general matter could be a GKM working group topic for Thursday.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Oeth - CDPHE, Trisha" <trisha.oeth@state.co.us>

Date: September 25, 2015 at 4:49:49 PM MDT

To: Bert Garcia <Garcia.Bert@epa.gov>

Subject: Briefing to WQCC re Gold King

Hi Bert. The Water Quality Control Commission has asked me whether EPA would be willing to come to a WQCC meeting and talk with them about the Gold King. While Patrick has certainly shared with them a lot of information, they are interested in hearing directly from EPA about what happened to cause the spill, and also about the response effort. In addition, I think it would be good for them to hear from EPA's perspective what lessons were learned or changes have been made that will help in the future, and also to hear about the plan for future cleanup efforts. I know EPA has a draft plan out for comment, so perhaps the next month or two would be a good time. They will meet October 13 and November 9. Any chance that EPA would be able to provide a briefing on one of those dates?

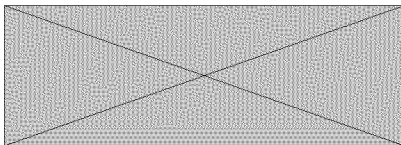
Thanks and hope you have a great weekend!

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